

The above proposals of the Chief Commandant do not involve any extra cost to Government and are approved.

Candidates for recruitment under this scheme will be selected by the Chief Commandant subject to approval of Government.

N. MADHAVA RAO,
Chief Secretary to Government.

DEVELOPMENT SECRETARIAT.

"Pishari Community."

READ—

Resolution No. 24 passed by the District Muslim Conference of Chitaldrug in July 1931, requesting the grant of certain concessions for ameliorating the condition of a section of the Muslim Community called "Pishari" residing in the Challakere Taluk.

2. Letter No. C. 1522—31-32, dated the 8th July 1932, from the Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, reporting that the people belonging to this community live by mat making and possess no lands, that their economic condition is no better than that of the depressed classes, that they live mostly in the Taluks of Chitaldrug, Challakere, Jagalur and Hiriyur and recommending that they may be shown the same concessions as are now allowed to the depressed classes in respect of the grant of lands.

ORDER No. R. 762-71—L. R. 8-31-61, DATED BANGALORE, THE
5—6TH AUGUST 1932.

Government are pleased to sanction the recommendation of the Revenue Commissioner.

A notification amending Rule 43 of the rules under the Land Revenue Code will issue separately.

D. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
*Secretary to Government,
Development Department.*

Working of Joint Stock Companies, etc., during the year ended 31st March 1932.

READ—

Letter No. C. 118—32-33, dated 6th July 1932, from the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies in Mysore, submitting his report on the working of Joint Stock Companies as well as Literary, Scientific and Charitable Societies during the year ended 31st March 1932.

ORDER No. D. 542-43—J. S. 37-31-4, DATED BANGALORE, 4—5TH
AUGUST 1932.

Five new Joint Stock Companies were registered during the year with a total authorised capital of Rs. 21,20,000. Of these, three were public companies and two private ones.

2. No private company converted itself into a public company under Section 154 of the Mysore Companies Regulation.

3. One company, *viz.*, Mysore Cigarette Manufacturing Company, Limited, went into liquidation during the year and seven companies were struck off the Register under Section 247 of the Regulation.

4. The number of companies limited by shares at the end of the year under report was 118 as against 121 in the year previous, while there was no change in the number of companies—21—limited by guarantee. There were 54 outside companies as against 52 in the previous year.

5. *Societies registered under the Societies Regulation.*—Twelve Societies were registered under the Societies Regulation, bringing the total number of such Societies at work at the end of the year to 206 as against 194 in the year previous.

6. *Prosecutions.*—The Managing Director of the Prajanidhi, Limited, was prosecuted for default in displaying a copy of the required statement in Form "G" in the Registered Office of the Bank and the case ended in conviction.

7. *Inspectors.*—An Inspector was appointed under Section 139 to investigate the affairs of the Shankara Trading Company.

8. *Auditors.*—There were at the end of the year 33 auditors of whom 12 held permanent certificates.

9. *Capital.*—The total authorised capital of all Joint Stock Companies was Rs. 5,65,98,625 at the end of the year against which Rs. 1,63,18,550 were subscribed and Rs. 1,45,70,451 paid up.

10. *Registration of Documents.*—Four hundred and twenty-six documents were received at the Registrar's Office for being registered, recorded or filed as against 487 in the previous year.

11. *Financial Results.*—The fee prescribed for the registration of a Society under the Societies Registration Regulation and that prescribed for registering a document under Section 277 of the Mysore Companies Regulation were raised from Rs. 10 and Rs. 3 to Rs. 20 and Rs. 5 respectively.

The income and expenditure of the Department during the year amounted to Rs. 3,204-8-0 and Rs. 2,521-3-0 as against Rs. 3,156-8-6 and Rs. 2,562-11-0 respectively in the previous year.

12. *Inspections.*—The registered offices of 11 companies were inspected by the Registrar against 8 in the preceding year. He is requested to arrange for more of these offices being inspected every year in future.

D. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.